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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	1344.1065	
	Application Number	09/834,633	
	Filing Date	April 16, 2001	
	First Named Inventor	Mineki TAKECHI	
	Group Art Unit	3265	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	110.00	Examiner Name	Nicholas D. Rosen

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 88.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>September 21, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$430); 3 months (\$980); 4 months					430.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$340.00)					0.00
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					0.00
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 430.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 430.00

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
Deposit Account No. 19-3935
Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	John C. Garvey	Reg. No.	28,607
Signature	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>	Date	11-22-04



Docket No.: 1344.1065

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Mineki TAKECHI

Serial No. 09/834,633

Group Art Unit: 3625

Confirmation No. 3908

Filed: April 16, 2001

Examiner: Nicholas D. Rosen

For: INFORMATION RANKING SYSTEM, INFORMATION RANKING METHOD, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDED WITH INFORMATION
RANKING PROGRAM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 21, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on September 21, 2004. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 21, 2004 (a Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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